









## Improved Uniform International

## Sunday School Lesson

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## Lesson for January 9

## THE STANDARD OF CHRISTIAN LIVING

LESSON TEXT—Luke 6:27-33.  
GOLDEN TEXT—Be ye therefore perfect, even as your Father which is in heaven is perfect.  
PRIMARY TOPIC—How Jesus Wants Us to Live.  
JUNIOR TOPIC—Marching Orders for Christians.  
INTERMEDIATE AND SENIOR TOPIC—What Christ Requires of Us.  
YOUNG PEOPLE AND ADULT TOPIC—Christ's Life and Example for Us.

The context (v. 26) clearly implies that is elsewhere positively declared (John 15:18-21; Luke 21:17) that the followers of Christ will be hated and opposed. In this lesson Christ sets forth the principles governing the life of his followers.

I. "Love Your Enemies" (v. 27). Love here is not a natural affection. To love friends is easy, but to love enemies is only possible to those who have been made partakers of the divine nature—been born again.

II. "Do Good to Them Which Hate You" (v. 28).

Love is positive in its nature. The true Christian will not merely refrain from doing injury to one who hates him, but will be concerned with and engaged in doing good to him. True love acts according to its own essential nature.

III. "Bless Them That Curse You" (v. 29).

To bless means to speak well of—to invoke a blessing upon. Injury by words is hard to let go unchallenged. The one who is a child of God and allows the Spirit of his Maker and Redeemer to express itself through him will return blessings for cursings.

IV. "Pray for Them Which Despitefully Use You" (v. 30).

We should pray for those who abuse us. The best commentary on this precept is Christ's own example (Luke 23:34). "Father forgive them for they know not what they do." When Christ was reviled He reviled not again. When He suffered, He suffered not, but committed Himself to Him that judgeth righteously. (I Pet. 2:23).

V. Patiently Endure Wrong and Injury" (v. 31).

The Christian is not to bristle in defense of his rights but rather to suffer insult, injury and even loss. This expresses the attitude which should govern the individual's actions, but should not be pressed so far that evil-doers can go unchecked. Rightly constituted government has been ordained of God for the protection of the innocent and the punishment of evildoers (Rom. 13:1-5).

VI. Give to Every One That Asks of Thee" (v. 30).

God is the supreme example. He gives freely and generously but intelligently. This text does not authorize indiscriminate giving. There is a giving which injures the one to whom the gift is made. To give a man money to buy whisky would be wrong.

VII. Do as You Wish to Be Done By" (v. 31).

This is called the Golden Rule. It is the sum total of Christian duty as it pertains to human relationships. Human beings carry with them the consciousness which is the touchstone which teaches them their duty to others. If men were to live up to this rule the problem of capital and labor would be solved and end would be put to war. International relations would be peacefully adjusted and all profiting in business would end. Practicing this precept proves that we are children of God. Loving those who love us, doing good to those who do good to us, leading to those who lead to us, is the common practice even among sinners. No new birth, no Holy Spirit needed to live this kind of life.

VIII. Be Merciful" (v. 30).

This means to be filled with pity and compassion. To enter into sympathy with every need of others. The supreme example as to this is the Heavenly Father.

IX. Censorious Judgments Condemned" (v. 27).

This means that we should not seek out the evil or faults in others for our satisfaction. We should not sit in censorious judgment upon the actions of others. However, it does not prohibit the just estimation of the character of others by their actions.

X. The Compensations of Right Living" (v. 33).

The one who gives freely of money, loves sincerely, makes the Golden Rule the standard of his life, shows mercy and kindness to others, and refrains from imputing the motives of others will be fully rewarded in kind. God will see to it that there be no loss.

Keeping the Mouth Closed

If a man can keep his mouth closed it is a sure sign that he could say something if he opened it—King's Business.

Fewer Words

The more you say, the less people will remember. The fewer the words, the greater the profit.—London.

Keep an Eye on the One

Keep your eye on the One gone up.—Echols.

OXFORD

H. Osgood Blake Died at Home of Daughter, After Long Illness.

H. Osgood Blake passed away at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Marie Farris, Friday, at noon, after an illness of two months. He was born in New Gloucester, Dec. 5, 1849. He married Julia Prince in 1870, moving to Oxford five years later, where he has resided in the same house for 51 years. He was a member of Norway Lodge of Masons. Besides his wife, he is survived by a son, George Blake, of Waukegan, three daughters, Marie Farris and Nellie Gammon of Oxford, Floy Stowe of Kittery, and a brother, Charles Blake, of Lowell, Mass.

## NORTH WATERFORD

Good Attendance at the Grange Dance—Annual Church Meeting, Saturday.

This community was greatly saddened to hear of the death of an old neighbor and a friend to all, Mrs. Elizabeth Manning, who moved to Norway a few years ago and died there. Charles York and Addison Holt who passed away from this place, were also from this place. Our heart felt sympathy goes out to their relatives and friends left behind.

Rev. W. L. Bull received a telegram announcing the birth of a son and a half pound daughter, Mary Helen, signed Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Wilson. They lived here in the parsonage a part of the summer and did so much good work for us here. Annie B. Hazleton had oysters and fish come for Saturday and they went fast, so she will have them every Saturday for a while.

There was a good attendance at the Grange Dance, Saturday night and a first class time reported. Hot dogs and coffee were served at intermission. They decided to have another in two weeks with an Oyster Supper at intermission.

Ober and Harvey Kimball returned to their school at Wilson's Mills, Saturday. Heide Lovley was visited by her friend, Dorothy Shorey, of Portland since Friday and both returned to North Bridgeport where they attend school. Fred Lewis and Donald Matheson, from Norway, also were week end guests there. They all attended the Grange dance, Saturday night.

Newell Andrews and children, Charles and Jennie, and Durnell and Alice, of East Stoneham, New Year's dance and here Saturday night furnishing fine music.

A church school through a home organization, met Sunday in a class and George Kimball was elected president, Herman Holt, vice president and Annie B. Hazleton, secretary.

Earl Libby went to Auburn, Saturday morning, and visited at his aunt's, where his wife is stopping since coming from the hospital; he returned Monday. Mrs. Libby is improving in health and hopes to be home soon.

Winola Kilgore spent the week end with Merline and Edith Littlefield. The annual church business meeting was held at the church Saturday, and a covered dish dinner was served.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Brown took Mr. and Mrs. George Holt to Norway, Sunday night as Mrs. Holt's mother had just passed away.

Herman Holt took a pair of horses and transported quite a number to church, Sunday, which was appreciated.

## BOLSTER'S MILLS

Crooked River Grange Installed Officers—Pleasant Time at Grange Hall New Year's Night—Charles Lombard Here Stopping at W. Whitman's.

Crooked River Grange No. 32, had their installation Saturday, January 1, 1927, with Mr. Emery of Brighton, installing officer, ably assisted by Josephine Chavall and Loton Gould. A very fine dinner was served at noon in the dining room after which the lecturer presented the following program:

Choir Reading (ancho) Josephine Caswell  
Music W. Weston  
Reading Wyman Lord  
Farce, "The Wrong Mrs. Smith" Grace  
Song  
The young people stayed and played games which were enjoyed by all.

A. W. Weston and wife spent the week end with his sister, Mrs. Mark Twitchell, at Berlin, N. H.

Myrtle Grover is keeping house for her grandfather, at South Paris.

There was a very pleasant social at the Grange Hall, Saturday night. Card playing, games, dominoes and dancing were enjoyed by a large company of the towns people and strangers. Apples and popcorn were served.

Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Merrill, who have been spending the holidays with her parents, have gone to Harrison to visit his father, Lewis Merrill.

The friends of Miss C. S. Cook are glad that she is comfortable after an operation on her throat at the Maine Eye and Ear Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Weston received a Freshman Masterpiece Radio from Santa Claus. Norton Jilison and wife also have a new Radio.

Miss Alma Skilling is visiting friends in Norway and Portland.

Zerush and Melvin Merrow called on friends in town one day last week. All were glad to see them. Elwyn spent the week end with his little friend, Jasper Haggerty, Jr.

The friends of Charles Lombard are glad to welcome him back again. He is stopping at Walter Whitman's. Mary Scribner has also been a guest of the Whitmans.

Mrs. Zelene Hancock entertained at the Cook house for Sunday dinner, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Scribner and small daughter.

Leon Skilling is at home for a short time after helping Mrs. Earle Dresser for a week.

Mr. and Mrs. Grover Edwards spent Sunday at Casco with Arthur Edwards. Mrs. Edwards is staying for a week's visit.

Mrs. Mary Fraser and Miss Lillian Merrill have returned to their respective schools after two weeks' vacation.

## Won Championship

Of Interest to the Boys and Girls of Oxford County

Ronald Keddy of Bethel won state championship in the poultry management project at the 13th annual state contest of boys' and girls' clubs, held at the University of Maine last week. Ronald in winning this honor, becomes a member of the distinguished class of club members who have won two state championships, he having previously won the poultry management championship in 1924. In recognition of his achievement he was awarded a certificate from the College of Agriculture awarded by Dean Lepp S. Merrill. He also received a prize of \$5. The five county champions who attended the state contest carried off \$11.00 in prizes. Louise E. and Louis E. Knightly both of Norway were the first ones to arrive at the University.

The contest was the most successful which has ever been held, the registration being 169 as compared to 126 last year which was the largest number up to that time. The interest and enthusiasm was very marked. W. G. Hutton, Industrial Agent of the Maine Central Railroad, awarded \$191.00 in prizes to those boys and girls club members who attended the contest. This railroad has given prize money for state contest every year since the custom of holding a state event was established.

Franklin County won for the second successive time the state club cup and becomes permanent possessors of the trophy as a result of their achievement. A. L. Deering, Secretary of the State Farm Bureau Federation, in awarding this cup to Franklin County complimented them very highly on the excellence of their club work during the past years. He also stated that he knew no reason why the Federation would not offer another cup for competition in 1927.

It was announced that the State Chamber of Commerce and Agricultural League had again voted to send a delegation of club members to the Eastern States Exposition next fall. The basis of selection of proportionate representation from each county will be as for 1926.

Those who were registered from Oxford County are as follows: Mrs. Sadie Lake-way, Bryant's Pond; Mrs. Annie Cotton, North Paris; Mrs. H. A. Knightly; Verne Knightly; Stephen Abbott; Louise E. Knightly, Norway Center; Louis E. Knightly, Norway Center; Ralph Davis, South Paris; Ronald Keddy, Bethel; Thelma E. Adams, Hiram; and Lovaina Powers.

## NORTH BUCKFIELD

Gerrish Family in Dixfield for the Winter—Eleanor Heald Returned to Locke's Mills.

John Gerrish and family have gone to Dixfield for the winter.

J. E. Bicknell has a telephone installed on the Buckfield and Paris line.

Mrs. P. O. Heald has been in Lewiston to consult Dr. Webber.

Mary Parar has gone to South Paris to spend the winter with Mrs. Flora Maxin.

Eleanor Heald returned to her school last Saturday at Locke's Mills.

Franklin Heald returned to his school in Massachusetts, after spending the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. Heald, last Monday.

Herbert Spaulding took his little girl, Hilma, to a Portland Deaf and Dumb school, January 3rd.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Heald and son, Frank, spent last Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Lester Ricker and family.

Ray Briggs has a Radio.

## STOW

Onslow Smith and Family at Home—New Year's all Well Attended.

Onslow Smith and family are at home again.

Doris Harvey spent a night at the home of Onslow Smith, this week.

Heide and Keith Eastman were home over the week end.

Eleanor Bryant called on Sybil Heald this week.

Sunday school was held at the home of Ned Bryant.

William Sanborn's family and Herbert Emerson's family have been having bad colds.

Sidney Sanborn is about the same, gaining slowly.

Charles Harmon donned a kitchen apron in Sidney Sanborn's kitchen the other day and showed the family how doughnuts, biscuits and "Johnn" cakes are made.

The New Year's Ball at Stow was well attended. Refreshments of apples and corn popped over the coals in the box stove were passed around.

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Schools Opened Monday—Chamber of Commerce Met.

The schools here opened last Monday for the winter term.

Much disappointment was felt by many friends when word was received that Miss Bessie Bowe would not be able to spend the holiday with them.

The boys of the basketball ball team will play Fryeburg Academy next Friday night.

The planning meeting of the Farm Bureau will meet at the town hall next Wednesday afternoon.

The chamber of commerce will meet at the Bean Memorial Building, Wednesday evening.

Frank Bradbury was the last week's guest of Miss June Brown at North Waterford.

The portable mill owned by Lee Jack, which has been operating on the Spring lot, has finished its work.

Edd Walker is much pleased with his new race horses. Much interest is being shown at this time here in fast horses, thus bringing back the old days when that sport was very fashionable in this place.

Many from here attended the New Year's Ball at Denmark. All enjoyed once more dancing out the old year and in the new to the merry old fashioned dances as played by Mr. Bennett and his orchestra.

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## LOCKE'S MILLS

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Mrs. Vertie Crooker of Bryant Pond is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Henry Morgan.

Donald and Lester Tebbets are away on a business trip.

Naomi Heald has returned from North Buckfield where she visited her parents during the school recess.

Mrs. Tena Woodsum of Mechanic Falls is a guest of relatives.

Mrs. Bert Day of West Paris visited with Mrs. Frank Ring, Wednesday.

Cecil Kimball and wife of Waterford are running Tebbets' boarding house.

We wish the Editor and staff of the Advertiser a very happy New Year.

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## EZRA F. BEAL'S JOURNAL

BAD HAYING WEATHER—CROPS LOOKED WELL—POTATOES ROTTING—  
COMPLETE SUCCESS FOR REPUBLICANS AT STATE ELECTION—  
NEW STEAMSHIP WHARVES COMPLETED

Edited by Don C. Seitz  
(Continued)

Aug. 2, 1857—Sunday. Dull weather and poor hay week. The last week has been middling for haying. Webster has done very well and got into the Barn considerable. He has got about 1/2 done. I am about commencing a large Engine House at Island Pond, also a wood house and several other wood houses and Water Stations along the line. Crops are very good so far, yet there is complaint that the weevils are injuring the wheat.

Aug. 23—Sunday. Rainy morning and was rainy all night. The weather has been poor for haying the last week and a large amount of hay and considerable grain is out now and much injured. Crops look well. Grain has suffered a fair day for 2 weeks. Webster finished his haying 2 weeks ago yesterday, getting his hay in fine order.

I am now commencing and have got considerable of the foundation for an Engine House at Island Pond. Expect to commence laying Bricks the coming week.

Am getting Piles and timber for another wharf at Portland.

The Great Steamship Wharf is nearly finished.

Aug. 30—Sunday and some rainy and has been rainy Friday and Saturday. 4 days last week were fair and the crops are fair for 2 weeks. Crops look well; grain is light; hay good. The foundation for Engine House progresses slowly. Brick work is begun.

Sept. 6—Sunday. Fair weather, but cool. Last night was a thunder shower and now indicates a frost. Last week commencing on Monday was a dry day warm and pleasant, finest for the season. There was a Military Muster at Portland. The company belonging here were there.

The crops look well except that potatoes are rotting. What has been cut and is good where the weevil has not injured it. It is good where the weather was rather poor to get it.

The season has been wet and cool and August in particular has been a wet month. Now it appears as if the weather has a dry fall. The water in the Mill Pond is within 4 in. of the top of Dam, which is unusual at this time of year.

Oct. 4—Sunday. Pleasant and frosty. Crops are generally harvested and are

pretty good, except Potatoes, which are very poor. On an acre we have only 30 bushels and small and poor.

Webster and his wife have returned from Massachusetts, where they have been gone 5 weeks.

The State Election passed off quiet and resulted in the complete success of the Republicans. Morrill has about 13,000 majority for Gov. Every Senator except one in Washington is elected Republican. Every County officer the same, except Register of Deeds in Lincoln West district. Every County officer in this County is elected by a majority of nearly 700.

In Norway the Republicans cast 247 and 3 under protest, making 250. The Democrats 217 and 1 under protest. 31 Republicans were absent and 13 Democrats from the polls, making 513 voters.

Nov. 1—Sunday. Moderate and warm for this time of year. The water in Mill Pond is now running over the Dam. We are repairing the dam and flumes of Mills.

Mr. Benj. Tucker, Senior, died last week and was buried on Friday last. There is to be a Mass meeting of the Universalists here the coming week. Webster has finished up his harvesting; his crops are not so good as last year. His crops are 50 bushels of corn, 130 bushels of carrots, 30 bush. potatoes, 9-1 bush. Beans, Wheat and oats not threshed; 5 cart loads pumpkins.

Webster is preparing to increase his farming next year.

Nov. 8—Sunday and very rainy. Commenced raining during the past night. A great deal of wet weather during the past 3 weeks. The Engine House at Island Pond is progressing and will be finished outside in one or two weeks more.

The new Steam Ship wharves are completed and cost in all beside Drilling about \$35,000. The Drilling so far cost \$23,000 and is still going on.

There has been a Mass Meeting of the Universalists here the past week and a fine time they had. 25 ministers were present at the service. Among them, Stevens, French, Hitchins, Osgood, Moore, Weston, George, Leonard, Stickney, Thompson, Gaines, Dove, Webster, Stearns, Stuart, Ballou, Ellis, Bartlett, Braden, Ford, Quincy, Forbes.

the open; and if it is necessary to remain in a poorly ventilated compartment for any length of time, one should stop at frequent and regular intervals and come out into the fresh air.

Never sleep in a cabin with an engine running (even though the engine is of the small, accessory type) unless fresh air in ample quantities is being blown into the room.

It is a mistake to think, the writer goes on, that carbon-monoxide dangers lurk only about a gasoline motor. An ever-present menace to the health of a household is the improperly installed heater or gas water-heater having no flue to a chimney through which the gases may be carried.

## SWEDEN—BLACK MT.

Christmas at the Black Mt. School and Several Family Parties.

The Black Mt. school held an entertainment and Christmas tree at the school house, Friday evening, Dec. 24. The entertainment was exceptionally good for so small a school, showing much work on the part of both teachers and scholars. The tree was very prettily decorated and "Old Santa" found candy bags and presents for all. Many parents and friends were here to enjoy the evening.

Miss Charlotte Brown and Victor Sylvester spent Christmas with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. I. Brown.

Mrs. Hollis Moore had an ill turn Sunday morning, but is much better at present.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Tower and Raymond Dyer spent Christmas with the former's brother, Clayton Tower.

George Dyer spent Christmas with Clayton Tower.

Grace Bryan is home for the Christmas holidays.

The report is that another large logging job is to start in this vicinity soon.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Moore had a family tree, also Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Briggs.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Tower and Mr. and Mrs. Bion Browne called on Alva Browne in Bridgton, Sunday, Dec. 26.

## ANDOVER.

Doris Ripley of Brunswick Visited Her Parents—Mrs. Sweatt Visited in Bangor.

Miss Doris Ripley, principal of a Junior high school in Brunswick, spent the Christmas vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ripley.

Mrs. Clayton Sweatt spent the Christmas holidays with her son, John H. Sweatt and family at Bangor.

Mrs. John Fox and friend of Boston, visited his cousin, Sylvia Fox, and family at the home of the latter last week.

Miss Marie Elliott visited her mother, Mrs. Dolly Elliott, at the home of Mrs. Leon Worthington a few days last week.

Miss Elliott returned to her studies at the Gosham Normal School, Monday.

The Annual Meeting of the Ladies' Aid of the Congregational Church was held at the home of Mrs. Irving Rogers, Wednesday, and the following officers were elected: President, Mrs. E. F. Coburn; Vice President, Mrs. I. E. Mills; Secretary and Treasurer, Mrs. C. A. Rand.

Mrs. Charles Roberts is nursing at the home of Lee Thurston, where five children are ill with scarlet fever, and Mr. and Mrs. Thurston are ill with sore throats.

## NEWRY.

L. E. Wright of North Newry was in Bethel, last Sunday.

F. I. French went to Bethel, Saturday, returning Sunday.

Robert Davis and Bertha Rogers and Hazel Smith have returned to the Academy at Bethel, the school beginning Jan. 8.

Miss Reta Burgess visited at H. R. Powers', a few days last week.

R. M. Walker was out of town on business, last week.

L. W. Morse made his weekly trip to a horse, Saturday.

## Swivel Chair Farm Notes

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A total of 47 cattle, 29 sheep, and 130 hogs move to market in the U. S. every minute.

Measuring Bull Values—For 20 years co-testing association records have been used in eliminating low producing dairy cows. The records are now being used to eliminate inferior sires.

Fire Fighting—The disastrous forest fire season just ended demonstrates that mastery of the fire menace demands not only men and money, but the perfecting of the science and the art of fighting on a big scale.

Hog Market Factors—The dominant influences in the hog market are the number of hogs on the market and those entering the market within the next few months, the quantity of hog products in storage, the general price level, general business conditions, and the prices of alternative products.

Largest and Oldest—The giant Sequoias are the largest trees in the world. They are the Sequoia National Park, California, is thought to be the largest living tree.

Apartment Houses Reduce Size of Steers—Many factors are at work changing the livestock industry, among them being the tendencies toward smaller households and the greater use of apartment houses in the cities.

Fresh Water Makes Oysters Look Water—The oyster, when transferred from sea water, where it normally grows, to water from a tank, at first is a very attractive sight.

Switzerland was put in a state of defense and was saved. The Scandinavian countries did the same and escaped serious injury.

Eight years have passed since the close of the war. Every nation but ours and Japan, came out of the struggle greatly exhausted and none of them except, perhaps, England and her Colonies, to this day and for two generations at least.

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## The United States in the World War

Was it essential for our safety for this country to engage in the Great World War?

This question can be answered by an analysis of the situation. It is the duty of every government to protect the citizens.

During the first years of the conflict, American vessels were torpedoed and sunk by German under sea craft, and American citizens sent to the bottom of the sea, without mercy.

There was plenty of justification for this country to resent these outrages by force of arms. When the Lusitania was sunk, with some hundred American citizens, war, if it be made at all, should have been then declared.

On the breaking out of what foreshadowed a gigantic struggle, it seemed wise for this country to be put into a state of defense and be ready for any and every emergency.

Thousands of our people had interests in Europe, and the rest of the world, rendering it necessary for them to go away to fight in any country needed to be read to resist encroachments on their rights, and protect its citizens in their lives and property, that country was the United States, yet nothing of moment was done.

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## EAST WOODSTOCK

Mrs. Charles H. Silver and son, William, spent Christmas at her parents', Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Pennock's, at Norway.

Frederick Walters spent Christmas week at his friend's, in Norway.

School reopened again with Mary Whitman as teacher.

Superintendent Hayes visited the Perkins school one day last week.

Charles Clark spent January 1st with his son, Carl, at Mrs. Villa Silver's.

Charlie Smith spent Saturday night at Charles Swinton's.

John Cox is driving team for Charles Swinton.

Miss Wilson, who attends school in Auburn, spent the vacation at her home here and has returned again for the winter term.

Nelson Perham is gaining very slowly.

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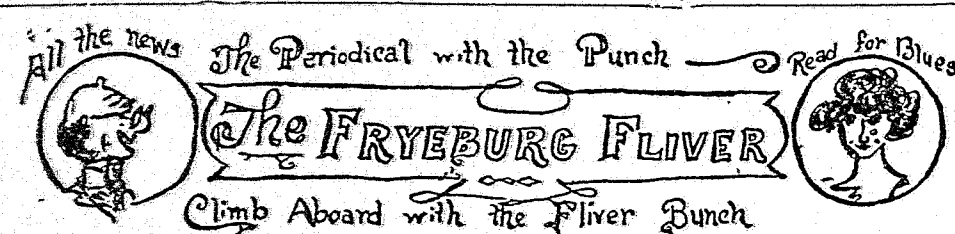
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Happy New Year!  
New Boston Breezes

Considerable interest was manifested in the boxing exhibition, recently given at the Cuney Box Co. plant. The Box Co. has turned out a number of good boxers, but the recent bout, K. O. Perry vs. Hudson (super-six) Simmons was pronounced by all present to have been an eye-opener for all (except the contestants).

Hudson took the initiative, being equipped with a self starter, and using one arm for a windshield, tried to connect with Perry's hand lights. Perry's motto was "Don't give up the ship," although Simmons' onslaught nearly took the wind out of his sails, and sprung a leak in his ribs. The battle was merely progressing up and down, back and forth, pro and con; spectators stood, spellbound, with bated breath, waiting for the decisive blow, which should end the encounter; both contestants were sparring warily for an opening. Simmons drew back his famous right, Perry was boxing cautiously—unexpectably the blow came. The foreman appeared.

(Continued in our next)

The New Boston "big boy" is very busy at present—looking for a job. Some of our local politicians are keeping cool for Coolidge—helping Brackett harvest the ice at Ward's pond.

Smith Street Smiles

Hon. W. E. Mansfield has returned from his Christmas vacation, spent with his daughter, at Amesbury, Mass. Mr. Mansfield has several cases of lobsters on hand, which he will place on the market at a reasonable figure. If you are fond of lobsters, call up Mr. Mansfield. Grant Baxter Hodson, who has been employed recently at the Fryeburg Building, has been engaged to decorate several rooms at the "Dormitory."

Although Mr. Hodson was engaged at an attractive figure at the Fryeburg establishment, we fear there are even more "attractive figures" at the "Dorm."

Uncle Carl's Column

When this generation of flappers is

EAST FRYEBURG

New Year Party at the Grange Hall

Charles L. Rose is hauling pulp to Brunswick Station. Miss Amelia Sauborn spent the holidays at her home here.

Miss Partridge returned to her school here, after the Christmas recess.

Many friends and neighbors from this place gathered at the grange hall on last Friday evening to bid the old year a farewell and to spend the first part of the evening at cards and games with a short rest for refreshments, followed by a dance. The card games were well under way when Henry Lord showed his usual generosity by producing a large basket of very fine eating apples, with which he treated the crowd. In the midst of the games, the quiet was suddenly broken by shouts of laughter from one corner of the hall in which the young people were playing. The noise and excitement spread from the musician, W. B. Lord, who played the harmonica and bones, and Miss Marcia Perry, pianist. The party all enjoyed themselves and wished everyone a Happy New Year and that they might have many more of these quiet card parties in the near future.

Horace Morse was a week end guest of Charles Rose. Mr. McAllister is at home from Cold River.

Clayton Rose has returned to Bemis, where he is at work.

Amelia Sauborn returned, Monday, to her school, in Boston.

The students have returned to Fryeburg Academy.

Scott Douglas and Lewis Walker are cutting birch for Wilton Warren on the mountain.

Encouraging reports are received of the condition of Mrs. Dyer at the Maine General Hospital.

Richard Martin motored to Portland, Saturday.

SOUTH OTISFIELD

Visit in Casco—William Ames Cut Foot—Roy Knights Cutting Wood for Mr. Martin.

Miss Mabel Tenney and her grandmother, Mrs. A. S. Ames, spent Friday with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Guitte of Casco.

Otto Herveum from Bangor, has been around in this place, calling on old friends.

William Ames had the misfortune to cut his foot very badly.

Howard Ames is hauling some pulp to Oxford depot for Dexter Nutting.

Mr. Fortier has begun to cut ice. Mrs. Carrie Brooks is better at this writing.

Roy Knights is cutting wood for Charles Martin.

Mrs. Lottie Edwards is very poorly.

MILTON PLANTATION

Mrs. Albertie Sessions is not well this winter, so her sister, Miss Lillian Flint is staying with her.

Alton Buck has been visiting his cousin, Albertie Sessions for the past two weeks.

Mrs. Addie Ramey, Herbert Flint, and Hazel Buck and two children went to North Lovell to visit Mrs. Bessie Adams, last week.

George Iverson called on Albertie Sessions, Christmas Day, also Ethel Eastman.

WEST LOVELL

Mr. and Mrs. Orlando Allard spent Sunday with Mrs. Allard's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. K. Lord, on Sunday.

Irving Bryant of Stow butchered for Clarence Lord and B. G. McAllister on Tuesday. Charles Saunders of Sweden butchered for M. A. Sargent and Dan Fox the same day.

Mr. and Mrs. B. C. McAllister and son, Ormon, were in Bridgton on Wednesday. The road roller made the first trip breaking roads, Thursday. Irving Boy and Clarence Lord each put on a pair of horses.

THE LORD WILL GIVE GRACE AND GLORY: no good thing will be withheld from them that walk uprightly.—Psalm 84:11.

## Why College Men Fail

Told by One Who Has Tried the Experiment

A large employer of help tried out the scheme of putting college educated men to work in a manufacturing concern. It was not a success. He now says:

"No college graduate need apply to me for a job. He will not even get consideration. I have had my fill of college graduates, and have made an absolute rule against hiring college men."

This pronouncement against college-trained men comes from a prominent eastern business executive who formerly favored college graduates. It comes also at a time when American colleges are graduating the largest number of young men in their history.

He bases his reason for his conclusion as follows:

1.—Because of their naive notions about business—or their prejudices against the business world.

2.—Because of their laziness, irregular hours, desires for much time off, and their casual attitude toward their work.

3.—Because of their constant desire for undeserved raises in salary in order to maintain the false standards of life they learn of in college when they lived on their father's money or bluffed their way, or went into debt.

4.—Because of their ingrained notion that they are of a different breed and therefore should be treated differently from the non-college workers.

5.—Because of their lack of ability to think, to make reasoned and practical deductions.

6.—Because of their pleasure-loving habits, fostered at college, which seriously interfere with their tackling a job in an earnest manner.

7.—Because of their unwillingness to start work at a salary that they are worth.

8.—Because of their tendency to leave as soon as a little more money is offered them; in other words because of no sense of apprenticeship and of growth by degrees of merit.

They "can't" forget their college or deduce their snobbish exaltation of the worth of their diploma. The showing of the graduates contrasts very poorly with that of non-graduates. I know; I've been watching them for years.

A fifty years' survey leads us to believe he has come to the right conclusion. Of the six boys we have watched through the financial struggle of college, we feel would have been better fitted to have served an apprenticeship than to have taken a college course.

DEAFENED CHILDREN RECEIVING INCREASED ATTENTION

To discover best methods of detecting defective hearing in children in public schools of the United States and to determine how this handicap may be overcome in School Instruction, the American Federation of Organizations for the Hard of Hearing, at the suggestion of the United States Health Bureau, and the Department of the Interior, appointed a committee to conduct a study in public schools of the country. Preliminary surveys made by this committee indicate that the hearing of about 2,000,000 school children is defective. In many cities special classes have been conducted for some time for seriously hard-of-hearing children. The preliminary studies especially to children whose hearing is not so seriously affected as to require segregation in the special schools.

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## SOUTH HARRISON

Party Got Nine Rabbits—Fred Flagg Sold Horse—School Began Monday

Zeruah Merrow has returned to her school at South Portland, after being at home two weeks.

Walter Flagg spent the week end with his brother, Warren and family, returning Sunday, to his work at East Raymond.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Chaplin visited Zeruah Merrow one day of last week.

Andrew and Bennie Flagg, with their dog and "Bob" Robbins and Rex Martin recently enjoyed a day rabbit hunting, bringing home nine rabbits.

Oscar and Leon Lewis are cutting wood for Elmer Fogg.

Jesse Lewis is cutting pine for Flagg & Carley and Guy Andrews is driving George P. Carley's team, hauling it out.

Geo. Little and wife and baby were at his father's a few days of last week.

A. C. Buck and family were happily surprised on Thursday night of last week when their daughter, Mary, and a friend from Boston arrived for a few days, coming all the way in a car. On Friday, they visited her sister, Ruth (Mrs. W. Brett) of Otisfield, Me. Mary and her friend returned, Sunday, to Boston. Miss Mary is a student of Tufts College.

Mel Jordan has been hauling Dan Chaplin's pulp with Will Seavey's team.

Fred Flagg sold a horse to Reuben Kimball of Oak Hill, recently.

Florence Little came home from Norway for a two weeks' visit.

Harry Skilling, Howard Grover and Almer Kalver of Boston, Me., were on their friend at the Merrow Home, Sunday.

School began Monday, Jan. 3, Miss Marion Sawyer of Sebago, teacher.

Mrs. A. C. Buck is with her daughter, Ruth, in Otisfield, Me. she has not been quite as well the past week.

Walter Chute's few days of last week the past week and under the doctor's care, but is better at this writing. Embert Buck has also been sick, but is better.

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